ANNEXURE.

GENERAL SECRETARIAT

No. A. F. 2781—*Ft.* 254-39-5, *dated* 18*th November* 1940.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to declare, under Section 17 of the Mysore Forest Act, XI of 1900, that from the 15th January 1941 the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification shall be deemed to be a "State Forest" subject to the exercise of the rights specified at foot thereof.

By Order,

J. APPAJI GOWDA,
Secretary to Government,
General Department

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Schedule.

District	Taluk	Hobli	Village	Area in acres	Name of block	Remarks
Tumkur	Sira	Kasaba	Chiksandra Amrith Mahal Kaval.	A. g. 8946 6 or 6·17 sq. miles.	Chiksandra Kaval Block.	The block is situated at a distance of about 1½ miles south-west from Sira Town on both sides of Sira-Huliyar Road.

BOUNDARIES.

North.—Starting from the easternmost corner of Survey No. 5 of Giddenahalli, the line runs east through Survey No. 2 of Chiksandra Kaval for about 94 chains to the south-west corner of Survey No. 48 of Swarikunte Village.

East.—Then slightly south-west through Survey No. 2 of Chiksandra Kaval for about 87 chains in a straight line to a point about 20 chains west from the north-west corner of Survey No. 3 of Chiksandra Kaval (Tank) then east for about 20 chains through Survey No. 2 of Chiksandra Kaval to the north-west corner of Survey No. 3 of the said Kaval; then south-west along the western boundary of survey number of Chiksandra Kaval to its westernmost corner; then east, south-east, north-east, east and south along the western boundary of survey number of Chiksandra Kaval and 101 of Honnenahalli to the south-west corner of the latter survey number; then north-west along the northern boundary of Survey No. 100 of Honnenahalli to its north-west corner; then south and south-east along the western boundary of Survey Nos. 100, 99 and 98 of Honnenahalli to the southernmost corner of the last named number; then north-east, north-west and north-east along its eastern boundary to its easternmost corner; then south-east and south along the western boundary of Survey Nos. 97 and 96 of the said village to the south-west corner of latter survey number; then crossing the Sira-Bukkapatna Road, meets the north-west corner of Survey No. 95 of Honnenahalli; then south-west along the western boundary of Survey Nos. 95, 91 and 85 of Honnenahalli to the westernmost corner of the last named survey number; then south-east along the western boundary of Survey No. 85 and then north-west along the northern boundary of Survey No. 84 to its north-west corner; then south-east along its western boundary to its south-west corner; then south-east along its southern boundary to the north-west corner of Survey No. 83 of Honnenahalli; then south-east along the western boundary of Survey No. 83 of Honnenahalli; then south-east along the western boundary of Survey No. 83 to its south-west corner; then south-west along the western boundary of Survey No. 71 to its westernmost corner.

South.—Then south-west along the northern boundary of Survey Nos. 69, 62 and 61 of Honnenahalli to the easternmost corner of Survey No. 67 of Huildore; then north-west and north along the eastern boundary of Survey Nos. 67 and 66 to the north-east corner of Survey No. 66; then west, north-west and south-west along the northern boundary of Survey Nos. 66, 65 and 64 to the easternmost corner of Survey No. 63 of Huildore Village.

West.--Then slightly north-west along the eastern boundary of Survey Nos. 63 and 62 of Huildcre to the north-east corner of latter survey number; then south-west and north-west along the northern boundary of Survey Nos. 62 and 61 to the northernmost corner of the latter survey number; then crossing the Sira-Bukkapatna High Road, meets the south-east corner of Survey No. 60; then north-west along the western boundary of Survey Nos. 60, 57, 56, 55, 45, 44 and 43 of Huildore to the north-east corner of last named survey number; then north-west, south-west, north-west, west and north-west along the eastern boundary of Manganahalli to the northernmost gadi bandh of the said village; then closely runs along the halla which follows the eastern boundary of Doddaladamaduvu and Giddanehalli villages to the starting point.

N.B.—The following rights of way are admitted within the State Forest:—

1. *Foot-path from Kanchaganahalli to Swarikunte.*—Two yards wide and 186 chains long; open for men and cattle throughout the year. It enters the State Forest in its western boundary at a point 2 chains north of south-east corner of Survey No. 45 of Kanchaganahalli, runs east and then north-east through Pujarigudde and quits the State Forest in its eastern boundary at a point about 2 chains west from the north-west corner of Survey No. 3 of Chiksandra Tank.

2. *Foot-path from Manganahalli to Doddaladamaduvu.*—Two yards wide and 65 chains long open for men and cattle throughout the year. It enters the State Forest in its western boundary at a point about a chain west from north-east corner of Survey No. 7 of Manganahalli, runs north and north-east and quits the State Forest in its western boundary at a point near the south-west corner of Survey No. 3 of Doddaladamaduvu village.

3. *Foot-path from Doddaladamaduvu to Honnenahalli.*—Open for men and cattle throughout the year, two yards wide and 83 chains long.

It enters the State Forest in its western boundary at a point about 5 chains south-east from north-east corner of Survey No. 6 of Doddaladamaduvu, runs south-east and east and joins at a distance of 7½ furlongs from the foot-path running from Giddanahalli to Honnenahalli.

4. *Foot-path from Giddanahalli to Honnenahalli.*--Two yards wide and 163 chains long, open for men and cattle throughout the year. It enters the State Forest in its western boundary at a point about 2 chains south-west from south-east corner of Survey No. 2 of Doddaladamaduvu, runs south-east and crossing the foot-path running across north-east from Kanchiganahalli to Pujarigudde, runs south-east to the north-west corner of Survey No. 100 and turning east, quits the State Forest in its eastern boundary at a point about 2 chains north from south-west corner of Survey No. 101 of Honnenahalli.

5. *Foot-path from Doddaladamaduvu to Swarikunte.*—Two yards wide and 113 chains long open to men and cattle throughout the year. It enters the State Forest in its western boundary at a point about 2 chains from easternmost corner of Survey No. 61 of Doddaladamaduvu, runs north-east through Survey No. 2 of Chiksandra Kaval and quits the State Forest in its northern boundary at a point about 6 chains south-west from south-west corner of Survey No. 50 of Swarikunte.

6. *Foot-path from Giddenahalli to Swarikunte.*—Two yards wide and 18 chains long; open to men and cattle throughout the year. It enters the State Forest in its western boundary at a point about 2 chains from south-east corner of Survey No. 6 of Giddanahalli, runs east, north-east, and quits the State Forest in its northern boundary at a point 3 chains south, from south-west corner of Survey No. A1, of land surrendered to the Revenue Department.

7. *High Road from Bukkapatna to Sira.*—Open for men, catte and carts throughout the year. It enters the State Forest in its western boundary near south-east corner of Survey No. 60 of Huildore and runs north-east through the State Forest and quits its eastern boundary at the north-west corner of Survey No. 95 of Honnenahalli.

STATEMENT B.—Register of claims to lands, rights to forest produce or easements in the proposed Chiksandra Block in Sira Taluk.

Serial No.	Name of claimants	Date of presentation of claims	Nature and extent of claims preferred	Brief summary of evidences adduced in support of claims	Brief summary of the Forest Officer's arguments and evidence produced by him	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement Officer	Brief abstract if any, of court of appeal and settlement
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bhute Gowda and others.	6th November 1939.	...	Grounds of convenience. Grounds of Mamool for a cart-tract leading on to Maradi Gudda.	No land out of Honnenhalli village has been taken up for the proposed block. This is an Amrit Mahal Kaval surrendered by the Agricultural Department to the Forest Department after handing over to the Revenue Department 965 acres and 26 guntas of cultivable land to provide for expansion of cultivation. The villagers have got sufficient gomal and kharab lands in their village for grazing their cattle as well as for meeting their agricultural requirements. Hence no land can be excluded from the proposed block, the right of way over the existing pattes may be allowed.	As the kaval was not used by the villagers for their, cattle, etc., before, their objection is not tenable. The cart-tract for the carts to go to Maradi Gudda and their cattle to go to the gomal lands beyond Survey No. 1, the proposed forest block may be reserved for the village community. As there is an excess of gomals, there is no necessity for reservation of the kaval for future Darkhast applications. The boundary is fixed as per existing boundary of Amrit Mahal Kaval. The halla forms a natural and convenient boundary. It causes no inconveniences to the villagers. Hence their objection is not tenable. The cart-tracts and foot-paths as shown in the sketch will be reserved to the use of the village community and the public.	
2	Chikrame Gowda and others.		...	The forst line is very close to their survey numbers, the nalla being the only natural boundary line. They object to close proximity of the line to their survey numbers.	Giddanhalli village is not affected by the reservation of the block. Hence no concession is possible.		
3	Karegowda and others.	7th November 1939.	...	Want lands for cultivation as the land now given is unfit for cultivation. They want permission to take Bandresoppu and dead wood for agricultural purposes.	Sorekunte village is not affected by the reservation of the block. Hence no concession is possible. Further the raiyats were not entitled till now to pasturage in, or to removal of fodder, fuel or thorny shrubs from, the kaval assigned by the Government for the pasturage of Amrit Mahal Cattle owned by Government and of the Gotu Cattle of the servegars and prohibiting strictly goat browsing therein. Their claim is therefore not tenable.	No more lands can be reserved as the land already reserved and phoded are still lying banjar. They may Darkhast these phoded numbers if they want. No patches of grounds can be given in the centre of the kaval although they are fit for cultivation as this would be inconvenient both to the Forest Department and the parties. *Re* Bandresoppu and dead wood, the villagers were not enjoying these rights in the kaval and hence new rights cannot be created. Hence their prayer cannot be granted.	

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7th November 1939.

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7th November 1939